LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6907 DATE PREPARED: Dec 21, 2001

BILL NUMBER: HB 1099 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Vocational education courses.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State & Local

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<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> This bill requires the state board of education to establish a list of approved secondary level vocational education courses and provides a procedure for high schools to offer courses on this list. It removes an obsolete provision.

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The State Board of Education currently has to approve or disapprove secondary-level vocational education programs as requested by individual school corporations. The bill could reduce expenditures of the State Board of Education by maintaining a list of approved vocational programs instead of approving different programs for individual schools.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: The bill could reduce local school expenditures for the development of vocational education programs. The local school could offer any vocational education program on the state-approved list. Currently the school might have to request approval from the State Board of Education before a new vocational education program is added.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Department of Education.

Local Agencies Affected: Local School Corporations.

Information Sources:

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